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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Michihiro Ohnishi et al.) Group Art Unit: 1634
Application No.: 10/550,302) Examiner: Forman, Betty J.
Filed: September 22, 2005) Confirmation No.: 1171
For: MICROCHIP, KIT FOR EXTRACTING NUCLEIC ACID AND EXTRACTING METHOD FOR NUCLEIC ACID	,)))

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REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

In reply to the final Office Action mailed July 15, 2009, the period for response to which extends through October 15, 2009, Applicant requests the Examiner's reconsideration in view of the following remarks:

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.